## Selected Unemployment Insurance Benefit Statistics (Regular Programs) District of Columbia

## March 2009

		February 2009	March 2008	% Change From	
	March 2009			February 2009	March 2008
State UI Program a/					
Initial Claims	2,186	2,103	1,258	3.9	73.8
Weeks Claimed	31,042	24,628	18,381	26.0	68.9
Weeks Compensated	57,615	44,209	26,629	30.3	116.4
Benefits Paid	\$17,048,907	\$12,887,252	\$7,570,328	32.3	125.2
A.W.B.A.	\$295.91	\$291.51	\$284.29	1.5	4.1
First Payments	3,274	2,727	1,204	20.1	171.9
Final Payments	1,339	1,128	816	18.7	64.1
Beneficiaries	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Federal Program b/					
Initial Claims	78	117	17	-33.3	358.8
Weeks Claimed	1,677	975	278	72.0	503.2
Weeks Compensated	5,205	2,356	756	120.9	588.5
Benefits Paid	\$1,792,584	\$797,702	\$235,095	124.7	662.5
A.W.B.A.	\$344.40	\$338.58	\$310.97	1.7	10.7
First Payments	487	442	29	10.2	1579.3
Final Payments	40	35	25	14.3	60.0
Beneficiaries	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Ex-Servicepersons Program	1 c/				
Initial Claims	2	2	4	0.0	-50.0
Weeks Claimed	35	44	109	-20.5	-67.9
Weeks Compensated	51	47	115	8.5	-55.7
Benefits Paid	\$17,121	\$16,393	\$37,484	4.4	-54.3
A.W.B.A.	\$335.71	\$348.79	\$325.95	-3.8	3.0
First Payments	2	0	4	#DIV/0!	-50.0
Final Payments	4	3	5	33.3	-20.0
Beneficiaries	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total - All Programs					
Initial Claims	2,266	2,222	1,279	2.0	77.2
Weeks Claimed	32,754	25,647	18,768	27.7	74.5
Weeks Compensated	62,871	46,612	27,500	34.9	128.6
Benefits Paid	\$18,858,612	\$13,701,347	\$7,842,907	37.6	140.5
A.W.B.A.	\$299.96	\$293.94	\$285.20	2.0	5.2
	3,763	3,169	1,237	18.7	204.2
First Payments					
First Payments Final Payments	1,383	1,166	846	18.6	63.5

a/ Includes joint claims with Unemployment Compensation for Federal Employees (UCFE) and/or Unemployment Compensation for Ex-Servicepersons (UCX).

 $<sup>\</sup>mbox{\sc b/}$  Includes joint claims with Unemployment Compensation of Ex-Servicepersons (UCX).  $\mbox{\sc c/}$  No joint claims.